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Title: BRAKE LINING MONITORING DEVICE AND METHOD

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.